

SELF-METERING CARTRIDGE

Abstract of the Disclosure

A system for automatically metering a predetermined dosage of a medicament from a cartridge. The system includes a tubular cartridge containing the medicament and a plunger which is movable in the cartridge to dispense the medicament through one end. The cartridge further includes an interior tab (e.g. a ring) for stopping forward movement of a detent carried by the trigger of a syringe body in which the cartridge is positioned. By limiting forward movement of the detent, forward movement of the plunger rod is also stopped, thereby controlling the amount of medicament dispensed from the cartridge.